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BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, JULY 4, 1929.

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Forbes were in Bangor Monday.

Leslie Pratt of Auburn visited relatives in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren will be in town during the summer months.

Lauris Tyler has employment with the A. & P. Co., at Lynn, Mass.

Miss Persis Daley has resumed work at Eli Stearns' after a short vacation.

Miss Adelaide Bean went to Farmington Sunday to attend Normal School.

Arthur Kilson of Westbrook was a week end guest at Norman Sanborn's.

Rodney Bartlett has returned from Timen, N. Y., where he has been teaching.

Dr. W. B. Twaddle and family left Tuesday for Boston for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. Oscar Brann and three children of Augusta are visiting relatives in town.

Perley Flint and family were home recently for a few days from Boscobuck Camp.

Mrs. Victoria Woods of Lewiston was a last week's guest at Norman Sanborn's.

Mrs. D. R. Smith and daughter and Miss Mary Tibbets were in Rumford Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cummings and son of Rumford were callers in town Thursday evening.

Mrs. Ann Bartlett has received word of the death of her sister, who lived in Colorado.

Mrs. W. H. Thurston and children and Mrs. Laurence Lord spent the week end at Naples.

Mr. and Mrs. Jameson Finney of Dixfield were guests of Mrs. Annie Young Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Young of Portland were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Young.

Mr. and Mrs. John Deegan are being congratulated on the birth of an 11 pound son June 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Buck and children of Portland were calling on relatives in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Clark and son, Wendell, of Phillipsburg, N. J., arrived in town Saturday.

Mrs. Lyman Wheeler is substituting in the Bethel Savings Bank during Miss Harriet Merrill's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shaw of South Paris were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Young Monday.

Ernest Brown and Wilbert Bartlett are spending several weeks at the Y. M. C. A. Camps at Winthrop.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Thurston and daughter of Andover were Monday guests of Mrs. Marjorie Hanson.

Mrs. Winfield Howe and son Sidney are spending a few days with Mr. Howe at Boscobuck Camp, Wilson's Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Packard and two daughters of Augusta were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Davis Lovejoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Blom and two nieces of Lewiston called on his sister, Mrs. Gertrude Hapgood, and family Sunday.

Misses Mary Tibbets and Mary Thurston left Tuesday for several weeks stay at Camp Wawanock, Jefferson, Maine.

Frank Kimball and Walter Chandler who work for H. Alton Bacon, are doing repair work for Edmund Smith at Mason.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Gehring, Wm. Bingham 2nd, Miss Hedley and Miss Hoggis arrived in town last Friday for the summer months.

Bethel friends of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Benson of Los Angeles, Calif., have received word of the birth of a son in their home June 27.

Herbert Winslow has moved from O. C. Bryant's rent to his new cottage at Boscobuck Pond, and Everett Marshall has taken the Bryant rent.

Miss Eugenia Haselton, Guy Gibbs and Eldon Adams returned Sunday from Kent's Hill here they have been attending the Epworth League Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wheeler and daughters, Alfreda and Elma, were in Farmington Thursday to visit the Normal School. They called on Rev. and Mrs. Achenbach and on the return trip called on Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Oliver at Livermore Falls.

IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. Mary B. Kimball, widow of the late Charles Mellen Kimball, died Saturday P. M., June 29, 1929, at "The Old Homestead," East Bethel.

She was born in Bethel, July 15, 1851, the daughter of Elias and Hester Bartlett. July 3, 1879 she was united in marriage to Charles Mellen Kimball, and the union was blessed by five children, Irving of Boston, Mass., Lillian Clark of Phillipsburg, N. J., Rose Frost of Kingfield, Hester Sanborn and Caylon of Bethel, also nine grandchildren.

Mrs. Kimball was educated in the public schools and at Gould Academy, and for many years was a successful teacher in the town. She was the only one of a family of eight children that lived to be over seventy years. She was a charter member of the Alder River Grange, also the Pythian Sisterhood.

Mrs. Kimball always lived at "The Old Homestead," and will be greatly missed in the home neighborhood. As a true and genial friend, a pleasant and kind neighbor, she was "Aunt Mae" to old and young.

In failing health for the past year, she has been tenderly and thoughtfully watched over and cared for by her youngest son, and wife who has done for her everything that a daughter could.

Funeral services were held from "The Old Homestead," Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock, attended by Rev. W. B. Patterson of the Methodist Church. The home was filled with loving friends and neighbors, and made beautiful with many floral tributes.

The bearers were her four nephews, Leon Bartlett of Berlin, N. H., Guy, Urban and Willis Bartlett of East Bethel.

Children's 50c box, 35c. 25c box, 30c. Lyon's.

Mrs. Lebbie Howe spent the week end in Gorham, N. H.

Mrs. Mabel Clough is caring for Mrs. John Deegan of Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Tyler are stopping at their cottage at Songo Pond.

Carl Upton and daughter Violet were callers at the Hapgood farm Sunday.

G. L. Thurston, who is in Errol, N. H., this summer, was in town Tuesday.

Theater A. Cummings has been appointed night policeman and assumed his duties last week.

Miss Alfreda Wheeler has gone to Montpelier, Vt., where she has employment in the State House.

Mrs. Jennie King of Buckfield is helping care for her daughter, Mrs. Lucian Littlehale, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jamieson and Mr. and Mrs. Perley of Portland were Sunday callers of Mrs. Ma Parsons and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis and two children returned Sunday from Naples where they have been spending a two weeks vacation in camp.

Mrs. William Carter and son Robert have returned to Canaan, N. B., after a visit with her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Thurston, and other relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lord of South Paris, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Sawin and H. H. Bartlett called at Saxon Gibson's at Northwest Bethel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert I. Bann and Mrs. Roxanna French were called to Andover, Mass., Saturday, by the serious illness of Mr. Bann's mother, Mrs. Angie Bean.

Mrs. Frank Emery and daughter Blanche and grandsons, Clarence Kimball and Walter Lapham, of Albany were Sunday callers at the Hapgood farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Robinson and Winfield were in Boston and Sunday. Mary, who has been visiting her grandmother, returned with her parents, and Winfield remains for a visit.

Mrs. Addie Vandenberg returned from W. J. Higgins and W. J. Higgins from Littleton, N. H., last week end. Mrs. Higgins and her son returned home with them after a week's visit with Mrs. Vandenberg.

An unusual collision took place on Main Street about 5:30 Sunday afternoon when H. N. Sanborn, taking into his dogcart with a Ford motor, was pushed aside by a Studebaker sedan driven by Adelard Parent of Bethel.

N. H. As Sanborn made the turn Parent undertook to pass him and in so doing struck the Ford and caused it to skid into the Sanborn residence. The Parent car was forced to back out of the garage for repairs.

BROWN — MORTON

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Morton of Newry, when their daughter, Doris, on her birthday, June 27, was united in marriage to Richard J. Brown of Bethel.

Virginia Davis of Rumford, an intimate friend of the bride, was bridesmaid. Gardner Brown, a brother of the groom, was best man and Alzona Lord, a niece of the bride, ring bearer.

The bride's dress was white crepe and she carried a bouquet of roses and sweet peas.

The bridesmaid was dressed in maize crepe and carried carnations.

Rev. Robert Madsen of Errol, N. H., performed the ceremony using the double ring service.

Only the immediate families were present.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Morton of Newry and is a graduate of Stephens High School of Rumford, class of 1926.

The groom is the son of Mrs. E. P. Brown of Bethel and was educated in the schools of that town.

A unique feature of the bride's costume was a hand embroidered silk shawl which her great-grandmother wore at her wedding more than seventy five years ago.

The bride received many gifts including about forty dollars in money.

After the guests had partaken of a wedding dinner served by the bride's mother, the couple departed for Old Orchard.

LAWS WE CAN RESPECT

President Hoover is making unusual effort to awaken the public conscience upon the importance of law enforcement.

He emphasized the necessity of observance again in his address at the Associated Press meeting. The words of arguments by the veto that prohibition was responsible for the disrespect for law were swept aside by a single sentence. Cases coming under the head of prohibition amounted to only 8 per cent.

There is no question that the respect for law in the United States calls for our best efforts in the application of a remedy. But what is the remedy? That question is not easily answered.

Many factors enter into the lack of law observance. One reason mentioned or even considered is the case of which insignificant groups can stampede a legislature into the enactment of some measure for which there is no real sentiment. If the public is not aroused against a measure, the legislators listen to the money groups, to which it would add dignity to call a minority. First knowledge of it, the public has, is when it learns that another law has been imposed while it was not looking.

The president selected wisely the subject upon which to address the citizens in the annual meeting of the world's greatest news gathering organization. The citizens not only can, but will help in restoring respect for the law and in abolishing the need of prohibition. They already are doing it. The president's appeal undoubtedly will increase their efforts.

The editors, however, will be limiting in the creation of respect for all laws if they will make it their purpose to oppose the enactment of legislation at the request of small, insistent groups, which is not needed and for which there is no real demand. The editors can prevent the enactment of many laws which clutter up the statute books because a few persons object to their enactment. There are many such laws. Let us have respect for law in all means. And let us have laws that we can respect. The Journal.

The set of buildings below the Falls Inn, West Paris, was burned Monday night.

Dr. I. H. Wright, Mrs. Eva Heston and Miss Alice Wallis attended the annual reunion of the Howard family of Hancock last Saturday.

Ralph Buckman of Needham, Mass., has opened an auto repair shop in the building formerly used by the B. B. Iron Co., for grain storage and now owned by M. A. Naimy.

Rathen and Barbara Harrell and Gertrude Harrell, accompanied by Arthur French and Miss Carey, left Monday for Camp Magna where the girls will remain for two weeks.

Local friends of Betram E. Benson of Augusta will be interested to learn of his appointment, Tuesday, as an assistant of Education, succeeding the late Augustus O. Thomas, who has been in office since 1917.

NAIMEY — BAKER

A wedding of much interest to Bethel people occurred at Portland Sunday when Mitchell A. Naimy and Maria M. Baker were married at St. Paul's Rectory by the rector, Rev. R. M. Panton.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker of Newry and for the past four years has been employed in the Naimy store. Mr. Naimy has been in business in Bethel the past eight years. He built the Naimy building where his dry goods and clothing store is situated, and has since purchased and rebuilt the buildings adjoining his property on both sides. He is a native of Syria, coming to Portland when a boy, where he received his education. Before coming to Bethel he was associated in business with his brother at Oxford. He is a member of the American Legion and Bethel Lodge, P. and A. M.

Bethel friends extend congratulations.

MIDDLE INTERVALE

Mrs. Irene Foster of Rochester, Mass., has arrived at her cottage where she will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Buck and daughter of Portland spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Buck.

Miss Mary Kenney spent the week end in Portland.

Miss Frances A. Carter is visiting friends in Berlin.

Mrs. Mary C. Wiley, who has been visiting her brother Herbert Carter, returned to Bethel.

Friends of Walter Baskin will be glad to know that he is much improved. Mrs. William Brown, who has been assisting there, returned to her home in North Paris Thursday.

Ernest Morinette is working for Ben Sanborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Howe and son and Mr. Fred Howe of Oxford visited Mrs. Frances Carter Sunday.

Herbert Carter was in town last week.

Mrs. E. M. Carter entertained "The Mothers Club" at their second annual meeting Wednesday. Ninety adults and 23 children were present. A program was enjoyed on the lawn. The following program was given in the afternoon.

Vocal duet, "Mother's March," Mrs. Herbert Brown, Mrs. Anderson Reading, Mrs. H. H. Thurston.

Song, "The Mother's Club," Mrs. H. H. Thurston, Mrs. W. B. Twaddle.

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BETHEL TRIMS NORWAY

Last Saturday those who followed the team to Norway saw a very unusual game. There were four hits made; three by the locals and the other by Norway. There were no earned runs in the game. Bethel scored her four on errors and the Rattlers' lone counter was a gift.

Bobby started things right for us with a single between third and short. Roger got a pass and both men scored. Eldridge also reached first on an error and he and Scotty rode home on Gill's hit.

Norway got their only hit of the game in the first inning but they did not score until the fifth.

Gill pitched the first four innings and struck out eight men while holding his opponents to one hit. Rodney Bartlett worked the last three of the game while he was striking out six of the deathly rattlers.

Norway's only run came on a base on balls, two outs and a passed ball.

The Bethel infield did not look as good as it might and the hitting was not favorable by its absence, although Goddard, Robertson and Gill each contributed one clean hit.

Lineup:

NORWAY

Wing, c. 2 1 0 2 2 1

Robertson, 2. 4 0 0 1 1 1

Robertson, 3. 3 0 0 2 1 0

W. Robertson, c. 3 0 0 0 2 1

Robertson, 4. 3 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 5. 2 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 6. 3 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 7. 3 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 8. 2 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 9. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 10. 2 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 11. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 12. 2 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 13. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 14. 2 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 15. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 16. 2 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 17. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 18. 2 0 0 0 0 0

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Robertson, 26. 2 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 27. 1 0 0 0 0 0

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Robertson, 35. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 36. 2 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 37. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 38. 2 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 39. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Robertson, 40. 2 0 0 0 0 0

BRYANT POND

Mrs. Mand Davee of South Paris has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Flora Cole, for the past week.

Miss Myrtle Bacon of Boston arrived here Saturday. She will spend her vacation at her summer home the "Little Jap."

Ralph Bacon of Boston and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Bacon of Logansport came Sunday night for three weeks.

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County News

HANOVER

Thursday, June 27th, the Past Chiefs of Mishemokwa Temple were entertained at the home of Mabel Worcester with Mrs. Worcester and Addie Saunders as hostesses. The afternoon was pleasantly spent socially and with refreshments. Tasty refreshments of ice cream with crushed pineapple, cakes and crackers were served. The following members were present: Helen Barker, Lucy Dyke, Alice Staples, Ada Hatchings, Georgia Abbott, Leona Powers, Eva Hayford, Edna Dyer, Addie Saunders, Mabel Worcester and Marie Cummings. Visitors: Mrs. Perkins and daughter Eleanor, and Barbara Cummings.

SOUTH ALBANY

F. B. Seribine and daughter Beth were callers at James Kimball's Sunday afternoon.

Ingalls McAllister and family have moved to Oxford.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy G. Wardwell and son Arthur Eugene were in Bethel on Friday.

Miss Mary Watson has arrived home to spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. R. E. Hill.

Miss June Brown has been spending a few days in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown were in Bethel on business one day, recently.

Mrs. Abel Andrews has been in Portland a few days having her eyes fitted.

Several from this way attended the Bethel school reunion on Saturday.

All report a fine time.

Rev. B. F. Wentworth conducted the services at the Albany Church on Sunday, preaching a fine sermon.

Rev. Allen has been ill with a severe cold.

Harold Nutting was a week end guest at Isaac Wardwell's.

Mrs. Dot Brown called on her mother, Mrs. E. K. Shedd, Monday.

NORTH NORWAY

Henry Hussey, a teacher in Providence, R. I., is at his home here for a week before going to Columbia University, New York, for the summer season.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy W. Judkins and young son, Stanley, of Upton, have been spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holt at Nible's Corner. They also called on other relatives at Swift's Corner and Northwest Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Johnson, Mrs. Inez Bean and Miss Anna Bean, all of Haverhill, were callers at F. T. Judkins Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Inez Bean goes to Albany to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. W. L. Becker.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swan and two children, Arline and Arthur, from the village and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lane and son, Albert, of South Paris, were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Morse, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Noyes of Norway Center, have the sympathy of the whole community in the loss of their home by fire, Thursday morning about 11 o'clock. Cause of fire unknown.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herrick of Nible's Corner, have been entertaining company from out of town for several days.

Elmer Hussey is to have the large stable that stands across the road from his home torn down. They have to do the work.

Elmer Watson, a teacher at Bangor, Me., is at his home at Norway Center, for the summer vacation.

HIRAM

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Twitchell and family spent June 26th in Portland.

Miss Mildred Heald of Madoc was lately a guest of her aunt, Mrs. B. F. Twitchell and Miss Esther accompanied her home to visit other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester P. Twitchell and sons Sherman and Edwin of Paris, also Mr. and Mrs. George E. Stetson and daughter Elizabeth of Wells visited Mrs. Gertrude Twitchell June 30. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Twitchell and children also joined the family party.

Saturday afternoon the S. S. of the Federated Church held a picnic at Lovewell's Pond. A good sized and a fine time a group of happy youngsters going in a truck.

There seems to be much interest in services at the Federated Church Sunday School is now held at 10 A. M. and evening service at 7 P. M.

Mrs. Velma North and children, Weldon and Mary, of Auburn are spending a week in town.

John Threlow died quite suddenly after a two weeks illness. He was being taken to Portland to a hospital and died on the way.

Mrs. Horace Pike's relatives from Massachusetts visited her over the week end.

Mrs. Ella Pike is seriously ill at her home here.

Maine Industrial Review

Plans under way for establishing armory at Bangor.

Bumford—Extensive street improvements recently completed in this place.

Plans discussed for establishing air taxi service between Rockland and Lathrop.

War Department approved plans of Maine State Highway Commission for construction of bridge across St. John River between Port Kent, Maine, and Chis, N. B.

Old Orelard—Citizens considering purchasing approximately 20 acres of land to relieve traffic congestion at East Grand Avenue.

Bumford—New school chapel of St. Athanasius Parish recently dedicated.

Augusta—Contracts awarded for construction of numerous bridges in this State.

Schowhegan—Contract awarded for construction of motion picture theatre on Ross lot in this village.

Vinalhaven—Branch bank of Security Trust Company opened here.

NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Flora Cole, who has been confined in her bed for more than a week, is able to sit up a little.

We are glad to know that George Abbott is improving in health.

Ellsworth Brooks and lady friend of South Paris were at Henry Brooks' Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brown and Bert Fuller of Upton were at Herman Fuller's Sunday.

Walter Russ and family are at their farm on Billings Hill.

Burwood Silver of South Woodstock has been visiting his friend Lloyd Fuller.

Evannah Fuller is visiting relatives at West Peru and Dixfield.

Ralph Brooks has gone to North Anson to work on State road.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hemingway and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fuller attended a dance at West Sumner Saturday evening.

WEST PARIS

The regular business meeting of the West Paris Universalist Sunday School was held Tuesday evening at the home of Rev. Elmer B. Parker. The superintendent, Harold C. Parker, is moving away and thus has resigned his office. Harold Chase was elected superintendent. Gerry Emery, treasurer, and Mrs. Lowell Foss, superintendent of trade school. The teachers' committee is Ruth Tucker, Mrs. Lyndell Farr, Mrs. Marna Curtis. Plans were discussed for the fall work, also for the Sunday School picnic to be held July 2nd.

Rev. Elmer B. Parker and Miss Jane Bradburn of Lewiston spent Sunday afternoon at the Dr. Edmunds cottage at Bear Pond. It was a session of the State class, 1929. Dr. Edmunds of Lewiston, Leonard Farr of New Haven, Conn., and Rev. Elmer B. Parker of West Paris.

Mrs. Julia Leach and Miss Carrie Pratt of Bangor, Me., are guests of Rev. E. B. Parker.

Miss Ruth Wilkins, just gone to Portland Spang to work.

Mrs. Billie Robinson went with relatives to visit her brother, Adney Swift of Bangor, Me., over the week end, making the trip by auto.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Beck have been entertaining their daughters, Miss Rita Beck and Mrs. Grace Wilkey and daughter June. Miss Addie Beck and Mrs. May Beck have also been guests there.

Miss Edna Beck started Friday for Bangor, N. J., where she has charge of a group of girls at a summer camp.

Rev. and Mrs. George C. Smith of the United Parish Church were the recipients of a fine electric radio, the gift of friends in Bangor, N. H., where Mr. Smith is formerly pastor.

Miss Mae Briggs is at home from East Bethel where she has been teaching.

Ralph Bean is managing a garage at Bryant's Pond this season.

Mrs. Lona Seaton Herrick has returned from her stay in Washington, D. C.

The piano recital by pupils of Mrs. Dana A. Thayer, George Hall, West Paris Thursday, June 20, at 8 P. M. was largely attended.

Miss Wilma Oliver of South Paris is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Walter E. Penley, and family.

Mrs. F. B. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Penley and Robert Penley were in Portland Thursday.

It is thought a recovering from a fall at the office more last Wednesday. He was unconscious for two hours of faintness, falling backwards into a pit ten feet deep, striking his head on spikes and being several minutes taken by the men on the scene.

Motor equipment for auto rides is a speedometer for a trip out and a pedometer for the trip back.

RUMFORD CORNER

Mrs. Gertrude Daly is spending the summer with her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Egles. Grace Merrill had an ill turn last week.

Walter Davis, wife, mother, and little daughter, Mrs. Fred Deshon, Stanley Deshon, Mrs. Edgar Davis, Mrs. James Farnum and two daughters from Bryant Pond called to see the patients at Mrs. Moody's Sunday.

Howe Hill, Locke Mills

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Downs and grand-daughter returned from Leeds where they have been visiting.

Jesse Akers went to the dance at Locke's Mills pavilion.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baker, Herbert Downs and Jesse Akers were at Norway Lake Sunday.

UPTON

Lyman J. Lane was home over the week end.

Mrs. Bertha Judkins and her sister, Mrs. Flora Abbott, visited Rev. and Mrs. Robert Haldane one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Davis have moved to Bethel.

W. J. Vail has taken up his duties as stage driver from Bethel to Upton. The new superintendent of schools, James H. H. Hedge, has arrived in town. He is to board at A. W. Judkins'.

Mrs. Isabelle Fuller and children have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Judkins and Mrs. Flora Abbott were supper guests at the Abbott House one day last week. There was a mistake in one item last week. It should have been: The Misses Mary Chase and Margaret McNamara are at the Lake House.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vail are moving into the Sam Raymond house.

NORTH WATERFORD

Dance was held Saturday with a very good attendance. The following program was given after the beautiful dinner.

Battle Hymn of the Republic. All Secretaries and Treasurer's Reports. The twentieth Bethel school re-election of officers. P. C. Bert J. Flint. Vice Pres. Edgar K. Shedd; Sec. and Treas. Annie Hazen; Committee to help out. Charles Hersey, Hazel Wardwell, Helen M. Kern, Bertha Judkins.

Dialogue. "Love and a Kitchen." Anna Hazen, Nora Hazen, Edna Lathrop.

Original reading. Mrs. E. K. Shedd, reading. Lucy Kimball, singing. Arthur and Vera Hersey, reading. Robert Hersey, reading. Billy Hersey, reading. Annie Hazen, singing. Mrs. E. K. Shedd, Original questions and answers. Mrs. Shedd.

Games and Stunts. James Kettledge is not as well. Mildred Lathrop spent a few days in Auburn last week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hazen were at a dance at Norway Sunday morning and spent the rest of the day at the pond in Albany.

The Last Fence

At last the vicar had found time to accept an invitation to dinner from a wealthy parishoner.

As a special treat the host's little son had been allowed to stay up late and was seated at the table.

After holding back his ready flow of conversation and curiosity for the greater part of the evening, the little boy shattered a sudden silence with a voice like a cold chisel.

"Mr. Snooks," he began while the family waited for the bombshell they felt sure was coming—"Mr. Snooks, did you take up the church 'cos you weren't any good at anything else?"

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